

Practice Exercises

Lab 6: Class Features and Operator Overloading

General Exercise Constraints

- If any member function doesn't change the calling object, declare it as **const**.
- If any of the parameter class objects isn't changed, pass it as **const. reference**.
- Decide the return type of functions and whether it's **return by reference or value** to generate the expected results. Don't return by reference without justification.
- Try to **minimize** the number of overloaded operators or added functions
- Try to **re-use** your implemented functions (overload operators using each other)

Exercise 1: Point [** new idea **]

Copy and paste the following main in your program. Then, create a class **Point** that has 2 double data member, **x** and **y**, that represent the coordinates of the point and add any needed functions so that this main works as instructed in the comments.

// [Note]: (<<, >>, ^, %, *) are left-to-right associative

// [Note]: (~, !) are "right"-to-left associative

```
int main() {

    // point in initially at the center (0, 0)
    Point point;

    cout << point; // Q: Can << be overloaded here as member function?

    // [Note]: use f10 to debug and see the coordinates of the point
    // after each of the following lines OR use cout << point;

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    // [Note]: (~, !) are "right"-to-left associative

    // move point to left 5 to be (-5, 0)
    point << 2 << 3; // Q: Can << be overloaded here as member function?
                    // Q: Should this function return by value or reference?
                    // Q: What will be the coordinates of point if << returns by value? Why?

    // move point to right 9 to be (4, 0)
    point >> 3 >> 6;

    // move point up 8 to be (4, 8)
    point ^ 3 ^ 5;

    // move point down 9 to be (4, -1)
    point ^ -9;

    // *** to flip a point ***

    // mirror point on x-axis (4, 1)
    ~point;

    // mirror point on y-axis (-4, 1)
    !point;

    // mirror point on x-axis 2 times so no change (-4, 1)
    ~~point; // Q: what will be the value of point if ~ returns by value?
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// mirror point on y-axis 2 times so no change (-4, 1)
~~point;

// new point
Point new_point; // (0, 0)

cin >> new_point; // assume the user enters x, y points (8, 4)
// Q: what if the Point operand of this overloaded >> is passed by value?
// what will be the value of the point??

// returns the distance between the 2 points
double dist = point % new_point;
cout << dist << endl;

Point pointA; // (0, 0)
Point pointB(10, 20);
Point pointC(100, 200);
Point pointD(1, 2);

// "decrement" pointA coordinates with the coordinates of pointB and pointC
// to be: (-110, -220) without changing pointB or pointC
pointA << pointB << pointC; // Q: Can << be overloaded here as member function?

// "increment" pointA coordinates with the coordinates of pointB and pointC
// to be: (0, 0) without changing pointB or pointC
pointA >> pointB >> pointC; // Q: Can >> be overloaded here as member function?

// multiply the coordinates of pointB and pointC and pointD
// and put the result in pointA (1000, 8000)
// without changing pointB, C or D
pointA = pointB * pointC * pointD; // Q: should we return call. obj or new temp obj? Why?
// Q: can we return it by reference? Why?

cout << pointA << pointB << pointC << pointD;

new_point = point; // new_point changed to (-4, 1)
// Q: do we need to overload operator = for this statement?
}

```

Exercise 2: Bank Account

Copy and paste the following main in your program. Then, create a class **BankAccount** that has double data member, **balance**, and add any needed functions so that this main works as instructed in the comments.

[Notes]:

- In **constructors**, if any value is invalid, initialize the balance with 0.
- In **any other functions**, if any value is invalid, make NO change on data members.
- Do NOT change anything in the main.

```
int main()
{
    // initialize balance to 0
    BankAccount my_account;

    // set the account balance to a value returns true on success
    // (value must be non-negative)
    bool ok = my_account = 3000; // do we need to overload operator = for this statement? why?
    if (ok) cout << my_account; // cout bank information

    // withdraw money from account,
    // withdraw must be less than or equal balance
    ok = my_account - 1000;
    if (ok) cout << my_account;

    // deposit money to account,
    // deposit must be non-negative, otherwise no change
    ok = my_account + 2000;
    if (ok) cout << my_account;

    BankAccount account2;

    // new account has the same balance of my account
    account2 = my_account; // do we need to define operator = for this statement? why?
    cout << account2;

    // create an object and initialize its balance with 2000
    BankAccount account3 = 2000; // does overloading operator = make this statement work? why?
    cout << account3;

    // resets the balance of account3 to 0
    !account3;
    cout << account3;

    // the following statment shold increment the balance of account2 with 5000
    // and increment the balance of my_account with the updated balance of account2
    my_account += account2 += 5000; // do we need to overload += two times for this statement?
    // how can we make it using one overloaded version of +=?
    // what is the return type of the needed operator +=?
    // do we need the return type to be by reference?

    // the following statment will NOT change account2's balance
    // but will increment my_account's balance with both account2's balance and 5000
    (my_account += account2) += 5000; // what about this statement?
    // do we need to change the return type of prev. +=?

    // compares the balance of account2 with 5000
    if (5000 > account2)
        cout << "account2 has balance less than or equal 5000";

    // compares the balance of the 2 accounts
    if (my_account > account2)
        cout << "my_account's balance > account2's balance" << endl;

    // compares the balance with 5000
    if (my_account > 5000) // after all the functions we added before,
        // Do we need to re-overload operator > for this statement? Why?
        cout << "my_account has balance greater than 5000";

    return 0;
}
```

Exercise 3: Orders [** new idea: “*precedence*” intensive **]

Copy and paste the following main in your program. Then, create the following classes:

1. **Class *Item*** that has a double data member, **price**.
2. **Class *Order*** that has a double data member, **total_price**, and an integer, **n_items**.

Then add any needed functions so that this main works as instructed in the comments.

```
// [Note]:
// Precedence (from higher to lower): (*, +, << or >>, >, ^, = or += or %=)
// Associativity (right to left): (%=,=,+=)
// Associativity (left to right): (*,+,<<,>>,>,>,^)
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```
int main()
{
    item t1; // price = 0

    // set the item price to 1000
    // sets only if non-negative price, otherwise, no change
    t1 = 1000;

    // create an item with price 100
    // if negative price, set with 0
    item t2 = 100; // Q: do we need to overload = or define a constructor?
                  // Q: If a constructor, what is its name?

    item t3 = 10;

    // [Note]:
    // Precedence (from higher to lower): (*, +, << or >>, >, ^, = or += or %=)
    // Associativity (right to left): (%=,=,+=)
    // Associativity (left to right): (*,+,<<,>>,>,>,>,^)

    order ord1; // total_price = 0 and n_items = 0

    // the following statement should make ord1 contains:
    // 2 items of t1 and 3 items of t2
    // ord1 becomes: total_price = 2310, n_items = 6
    ord1 = 2 * t1 + 3 * t2 + 1 * t3; // Precedence (from higher to lower): (*, +, =)
                                     // any proposed working overloading is accepted

    cout << ord1; // total_price = 2310, n_items = 6

    // apply 10% sale on ord1
    // then apply 10% sale on the updated ord1
    // ord1 becomes: total_price = 1871.1, n_items = 6
    (ord1 %= 10) %= 10;
    cout << ord1;

    order ord2; // total_price = 0 and n_items = 0
    ord2 = 2 * t1; // total_price = 2000 and n_items = 2
    cout << ord2;

    // adds the items of ord2 to ord1 and update total_price and n_items
    // ord1: total_price = 3871.1 and n_items = 8
    // ord2: not changed
    cout << (ord1 += ord2); // Hint: use the (order + order) operator
                           // inside the implementation of +=
                           // Q: Do we need to return by ref in this += or by value is enough?

    // adds 1 item of t1 to ord1
    // total_price = 4871.1, n_items = 9
    cout << (ord1 += t1); // any proposed overloading that makes this works is accepted
}
```

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        // but try to think of a solution that does NOT overload += again.
        // Found it??

// adds 1 item of t1 and 2 items of t2 to ord1
// ord1 becomes: total_price = 5891.1, n_items = 12
(ord1 += t1) += 2 * t3; // Q: how should the return type of the += be changed
                        // to handle statment like this??
cout << ord1;

// adds t1 to ord1
// ord1 becomes: total_price = 6891.1, n_items = 13
cout << (t1 >> ord1); // Q: should the order object be passed by value or reference?

// adds t1 and t2 to ord1
// ord1 becomes: total_price = 7991.1, n_items = 15
t1 >> (t2 >> ord1); // Q: how should the return type be changed to enable this statement?
cout << ord1;

order ord3;
t2 >> ord3;

cout << ord1 << ord2 << ord3;

// returns the greatest order
// the order is greater if its total_price is greater
// if the total_price of the 2 orders are equal
// the order with the greater n_items is returned
// this will output ord1: total_price = 7991.1, n_items = 15
cout << (ord3 ^ ord1 ^ ord2); // Q: Do we need to make the return of ^ by reference? Why?

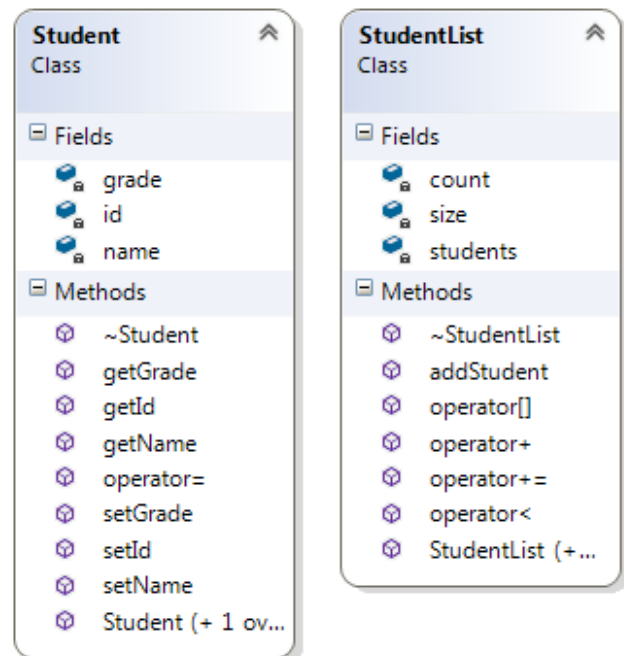
// compares the total_price with 10000
if (10000 > ord1)
    cout << "ord1 <= 10000" << endl; // this will be printed
else
    cout << "ord1 > 10000" << endl;
}
```

Exercise 4: Student List [** new idea: array **]

A student list holds information about students enrolled in a specific course, so for each course there is a student list, the class diagram of the Student, and the StudentList classes is illustrated below.

You are required to:

- 1- Write the implementation of the **Student** and **StudentList** classes following this class diagrams and the header of Student class. Don't forget to deallocate any allocated memory.
- 2- Override the necessary operators to get the **main.cpp** running
- 3- The **StudentList.h** and **main.cpp** are done for you.



StudentList.h

```

class StudentList
{
private:
    Student* students;
    int count;//count of Students in the list
    int size;//maximum count of students that list can hold
public:
    //constructor that takes size of the list
    StudentList(int n=5);

    //add a Student to the list
    void addStudent(Student);

    // [] operator for index
    //take index and return the Student of this index in the list
    Student operator[](int);
    //<< print all information of students in the list
    friend ostream& operator<<(ostream&,const StudentList&);
    //+= add the right hand side integer to the grade for all students in the list
    StudentList operator +=(int );
    //+ concatenate lists into one list that contains all elements of the two input lists
    StudentList operator +(StudentList&);
    //< operator returns true if average grades of students in left hand side list one is
    less than average grades of
    //students in right hand side list
    bool operator <(const StudentList &);
    //destructor
    ~StudentList();
};
  
```

main.cpp

```

#include "StudentList.h"
#include <iostream>
using namespace std;

int main ()
{
    StudentList prepclass1(3);
    Student s1(1,"Ahmed",50);
    prepclass1.addStudent(s1);
    prepclass1.addStudent(Student (3,"Rana",47));
    cout<<"*****Prep Class
1*****\n"<<prepclass1;
    cout<<"-----\n";
    cout<<"Student number 1 in the list is : "<<prepclass1[1]<<endl;
    cout<<"-----\n";

    StudentList prepclass2(4);
    prepclass2.addStudent(Student (7,"Kamal",40));
    prepclass2.addStudent(Student (19,"Ola",60));
    prepclass2.addStudent(Student (13,"Mahmoud",30));
    cout<<"*****Prep Class
2*****\n"<<prepclass2;
    if(prepclass1<prepclass2)
        cout<<"Average student grades in class 2 is greater than class 1"<<endl;
    else
        cout<<"Average student grades in class 2 is less than or equal class 1"<<endl;

    //addStudenting one more student to class2
    prepclass2.addStudent(Student (32,"Menna",80));
    cout<<"-----\n";
    cout<<"After Adding one student to class 2\n";
    cout<<"-----\n";
    if(prepclass1<prepclass2)
        cout<<"Average student grades in class 2 is greater than class 1\n";
    else
        cout<<"Average student grades in class 2 is less than or equal class 1\n\n";

    StudentList mergedclass=prepclass1+prepclass2;
    cout<<"*****Merged
Class*****\n"<<mergedclass;

    //addStudent bonus to the mergedclass
    cout<<"After adding bonus to students of the merged class:"<<endl;
    cout<<"-----"<<endl;
    mergedclass+=2;
    cout<<mergedclass<<endl;

    return 0;
}

```

Expected Output:

```
*****Prep Class 1*****
Students in this list :
id =1 Name =Ahmed Grade=50
id =3 Name =Rana Grade=47
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Student number 1 in the list is : id =3 Name =Rana Grade=47
-----
*****Prep Class 2*****
Students in this list :
id =7 Name =Kamal Grade=40
id =19 Name =Ola Grade=60
id =13 Name =Mahmoud Grade=30
Average student grades in class 2 is less than or equal class 1
-----
After Adding one student to class 2
-----
Average student grades in class 2 is greater than class 1
*****Merged Class*****
Students in this list :
id =1 Name =Ahmed Grade=50
id =3 Name =Rana Grade=47
id =7 Name =Kamal Grade=40
id =19 Name =Ola Grade=60
id =13 Name =Mahmoud Grade=30
id =32 Name =Menna Grade=80
After adding bonus to students of the merged class:
-----
Students in this list :
id =1 Name =Ahmed Grade=52
id =3 Name =Rana Grade=49
id =7 Name =Kamal Grade=42
id =19 Name =Ola Grade=62
id =13 Name =Mahmoud Grade=32
id =32 Name =Menna Grade=82
```